

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

It having been widely advertised under the caption of

"America Ahead in Spool Cotton."

that the jury on Cotton textiles, yarns and threads, at the Paris Exposition, decreed a Gold Medal and Grand Prize to the Willimantic Linen Company for "Spool Cotton especially adapted for use on sewing machines," over all the great thread manufacturers of the world, we owe it to the public and to Messrs. J. & P. Coats to announce that.

No Grand Prizes were decreed at Paris for Spool Cotton.

We are advised by cable of the following awards:

J. & P. COATS, GOLD MEDAL.

Willimantic Linen Co., Silver Medal.

and we claim for the winners of the First Prize, that as they have established in Rhode Island the largest Spool Cotton Mills in the United States, where their Spool Cotton is manufactured through every process from the raw cotton to the finished spool, America, as represented by J. & P. COATS, is ahead in Spool Cotton.

Auchincloss Brothers,

Sole Agents in New York for J. & P. COATS.

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Awarded highest prize at Centennial Exposition for excellence of quality, character and lasting character of smoking and flavoring. The best tobacco ever made. As our firm's trade mark is closely allied with the name of Jackson's, we would like to see every planter, cigar and cigarette manufacturer put to Jackson's name. Address, JNO. H. OBERLY, General Manager.

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JNO. H. OBERLY, General Manager.

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1879.

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PERIHELION AND PESTILENCE

WHAT MAY ENSUE DURING THE NEXT SEVEN YEARS—A PERIOD OF SUFFERING AND DEATH.

If there is anything in "astrological criology," we are approaching one of the most pestilential periods of earth's history. Since the commencement of the Christian era the perihelia of the four great planets of the solar system—Jupiter, Uranus, Saturn and Neptune—have not been coincident. But this is about to occur, and, in the language of Dr. Knappa, who has traced the history of the greatest epidemics that ever afflicted the human race to the perihelia of these planets, there will soon be "dreadful times for the doctors." The theory is, that when one or more of the large planets is nearest to the sun, the temperature and condition of our atmosphere are so disturbed as to cause injurious vicissitudes, terrible rains, protracted droughts, etc., resulting in the destruction of crops and pestilence among human beings and domestic animals.

Dr. Knappa collected a mass of statistical data, all going to show that perihelia have always been unusual in mortality, and that sickness has invariably corresponded with the planets in perihelia at the same time. The revolution of Jupiter around the sun is accomplished in less than twelve years; of Saturn, in a little less than thirty years; of Uranus in about eighty-four years. It is true that the perihelia of the two planets occasion atmospheric conditions unfavorable to life; pestilential periods should occur in a dozen years, and aggravated and still more wide-spread epidemics at longer intervals. In tracing the history of epidemics for more than 2,000 years, Dr. Knappa finds the facts in all cases, validate the theory. Thus in the sixth, and again in the sixteenth centuries, three of these planets were coincident in perihelia, and those were the most pestilential times of the Christian era.

But soon we are to have, for the first in two thousand years, all four of these planets against us. They will be at their nearest approach to the sun in or soon after 1880, so that for a few years, say from 1880 to 1885, vitality of every living thing will be put to a severe and trying ordeal. Some persons think they see signs of great disasters in the immediate future. The excessive heat, the unexampled cold, the prevalence of food and drink diseases, the general failure of the potato crop, the wide spread chill fever among human beings and the equal presence of the epizootic among animals, are mentioned as among the portents of the rapidly approaching perihelia.

Well to be forewarned is to be forearmed!

Accidents excepted, we know very well that the persons of more vigorous constitution and hygienic habits will have the better chance to survive whatever adverse influences the extraordinary perihelia will occasion. It is well known to physicians, that in all pestilences, plague, typhus, small-pox, cholera, murrain, etc., the intemperate, the dissipated and those whose sanitary conditions were bad, furnished the victims.

We do not write to alarm any one, nor to make a sensation. We state the facts which history attests. Readers can judge for themselves what importance to attach to the subject. That the conjoint perihelia of all the large planets of the solar system, one of which, Jupiter, is a thousand times larger than the earth, must disturb our temperature very considerably, is probable; that the disturbance must be injurious to health and life, is certain; that these periods have been pestilential, is a matter of record. How much we shall suffer during the next dozen or fifteen years, depends very much how nearly we live a life in accordance with the laws of life.

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